

repulsed by the Austrians," said a Vienna official statement today. "Russian troops isolated in places in the Carpathian district have gained the west bank of the Danube, where an engagement continues."

Italian attacks are reported to have failed with heavy losses to the aggressors.

Kaiser Promises to Make Bulgaria Mistress of The Balkan Peninsula

LONDON, Oct. 20.—A proclamation by the Kaiser, declaring Bulgaria to be mistress of the Balkans, relating southward to the Aegean and from the Black Sea to the Adriatic, has been received by the Bulgarian troops, according to press dispatches here today.

Vienna Hears 2,000 Serbs Are Captured Along Morava River

VIENNA, Oct. 20.—(Via Berlin and London).—Austrian operations in Serbia, west of the Morava river, are progressing satisfactorily, said an official report issued today.

Obrenovac, it is stated, was occupied by the invaders, and most of the surrounding region was under their control.

Austrians and Germans are said to be linking their campaigns along the Morava.

More than 2,000 Serbian prisoners are reported taken.

East of Pirok the Bulgarians are said to have taken the Serbians first fortified line.

Bulgars Capture Istip And Cotfans on Serb Side of Their Frontier

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Bulgarians have captured Istip and Cotfans, about fifty miles in the Serbian side of the Serbo-Bulgarian frontier, according to an Athens message to the Exchange Telegraph today.

German Drive at Rheims Repulsed by the French

LONDON, Oct. 20.—An assault on the French line east of Rheims was made by the German forces on a wide front and in great numbers. Prolonged and violent bombardment and the use of gas shells and clouds of chlorine gas preceded the attacks which penetrated part of the French trenches.

A sharp counter attack by Joffre's soldiers followed, and, according to the official bulletin issued in Paris, a large part of the lost ground was regained.

With another French onslaught, it is said, the Germans were driven back to their own lines.

The Germans have also taken the offensive along the Yser canal in Belgium, and last night, according to Belgian official advice, gained a foothold on the east bank from this point they have since been dislodged.

Kentuckians Favor Half Holiday Here

District Society Goes on Record in Favor of National Preparedness.

The Kentucky Society of the District of Columbia, urged the principle of a half holiday every Saturday, for all Government employees, and decided to communicate its feeling to the various departments, at a meeting at the Kentucky Club last evening.

The Kentuckians also went on record in favor of the policies of the Wilson Administration, endorsing the President's action in keeping this country free of war, and supporting him in his effort for preparedness.

The meeting was attended by J. S. Blackman, special agent in charge of the Lincoln Memorial, and honorary president of the association.

"AMERICA FIRST," POSTER MESSAGE

Interior Department Bureau Distributes Pictorial Invitation to Immigrants.

Co-operating with the Government naturalization bureau, the Bureau of Education of the Interior Department today began the distribution of lithographed posters, which are being sent to postoffices, public schools, and industrial establishments of the country, urging immigrants to educate themselves for American citizenship.

Under the bold-faced title, "America First," the posters carry an urgent invitation to attend night school, learn English, and become citizens. The invitations are printed in Italian, Polish, Yiddish, Lithuanian, Bohemian and Hungarian.

"This is part of a comprehensive plan for preparing immigrants for American life and citizenship," an explanatory statement by the Bureau of Education says. "As the posters will hang in conspicuous places it is hoped that by means of this pictorial and written invitation immigrants will have their attention called to night schools of their communities; and that where there is any considerable number of immigrants and no night schools the poster may inspire the authorities to establish such schools."

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THE WEATHER REPORT.

The forecast for the District of Columbia—Partly cloudy tonight; Thursday fair; somewhat cooler; gentle south and southwest winds.

Maryland—Partly cloudy tonight; cooler in west portion; Thursday fair, and somewhat cooler; gentle to moderate southwest winds.

Virginia—Partly cloudy tonight; probably showers near the coast; Thursday fair and slightly cooler; gentle to moderate shifting winds, becoming westerly.

TEMPERATURES	
U. S. BUREAU	APPELLECK'S
8 a. m. 63	8 a. m. 62
9 a. m. 62	9 a. m. 61
10 a. m. . . . 60	10 a. m. . . . 59
11 a. m. . . . 57	11 a. m. . . . 56
12 noon . . . 56	12 noon . . . 55
1 p. m. . . . 55	1 p. m. . . . 54

TIDE TABLE	
High tide. . . . 6:04 a. m. and 6:24 p. m.	
Low tide. . . . 12:04 a. m. and 12:20 p. m.	

SUN TABLE	
Sun rose. . . . 6:13	Sun sets. . . . 5:15

Light automobile lamps at 5:53 p. m.

The Weather a Year Ago Today
Fair temperature, high 81, degrees, low 51 degrees—remember, Laxative Bromo Quinine cures a cold in one day. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." Look for signature E. W. GROVE, Inc.—Adv.

CALIFORNIA GIRLS MAKE WILSON WAIT

Bring Gold Nugget for Wedding Ring and Blossoms for Mrs. Galt.

(Continued from First Page.)
asked Miss Dorothy Starr, one of the young ladies.
"Well," murmured Miss Esther Bull, the other, "it was this hat, for one thing."
The hat—a close-fitting contraption resembling a Scotchman's bonnet—didn't look complicated, and the mere man showed his surprise.
"And then," added Miss Bull, "we were so excited we just couldn't make haste to go."
Little Miss McCuen, whose part it was to recite some of the grave reasons of state why the President should go to California, whispered out a number of arguments, and the President shook hands with her, but Miss Bull just couldn't help breaking in with:
"You and Mrs. Galt come to California on your wedding trip!"

Blossoms for Mrs. Galt.
The President smiled easily, but added (so they said in quoting him):
"There has never been a time when I had to be urged to go to California. It has been merely a question of finding time to go."
Mrs. Stoney then urged that he go, if only to make a flying trip there and back on any stops. He promised to consider it.
In addition to the gold bar, the delegation presented the President with a piece of gold quartz taken from the Empire mine, the oldest in California, and fashioned like a rose, and a petition signed by 30,000 school children of the State urging him to visit the fair.
The delegation was introduced to the President by Mrs. Galt, of this city. Arrangements are being made for the young ladies to present the orange blossoms to Mrs. Galt at her residence sometime today.

"We are sure," murmured one of the young ladies, "that if she gets the perfume of these blossoms she will urge the President to go—perhaps make it their wedding trip."

Masons Call At White House.
Fifty thirty-third degree Masons, members of the camp guard of the Arkansas consistory of Scottish Rite Masons, shook hands with the President. He congratulated them warmly on the magnificent new temple on sixteenth street and the exercises which marked its opening. The President, not being a Mason, has not seen the interior of the building. The delegation was headed by Capt. John H. Frazer. The President later in the day shook hands with 300 third-degree postmasters who are holding a convention here.

RETAIL GROCERS TO PLAN FOOD SHOW
Program Will be Considered Tonight—All Dealers Are Invited.

The Retail Grocers' Protective Association will meet this evening at 933 D street northwest to consider the program for the food and industrial show at Convention Hall on November 1.

Perry P. Patrick, manager, reports that 150 representatives of food manufacturers and jobbers intend to enter display.

Marshall Pea, in charge of the booths, has opened an office near Convention Hall.

President J. H. Goodrich has invited all grocers to meet tonight.

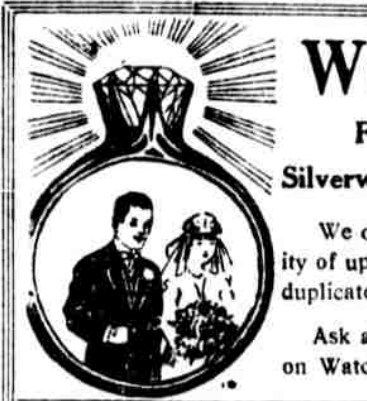
President Unable to Save Swede Convicted in Utah
President Wilson has written a letter to W. A. E. Ekengren, minister to the United States from Sweden, regretting his inability to do anything further in behalf of Joseph Hillstrom, a citizen of Sweden, who is under sentence of death for murder in Utah.

At the instance of the President, Hillstrom, who was to have paid the penalty of his crime last week, was granted a reprieve until his case could be looked into further by the Utah board of pardons. His appeal for clemency being rejected, Hillstrom will be executed next month.

Under the option granted in Utah, the Swede has elected to be shot.

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6 Sterling Silver Tea Spoons in case. Special. . . \$1.00
Sterling Silver Plate or Ice Cream Server. Special. . . \$1.50
Quadruple-plated Tea Set, Complete. . . \$5.00
Others to \$5.00.

26-piece Chest Sterling Silver—6 knives, 6 forks, 6 teaspoons, 6 dessertspoons, sugar spoon and butter knife. Special. . . \$30.00
Sterling Silver Bread Tray, Bowl or Sandwich Tray. Special. . . \$10.00
A Full Line of Fairfax Silver.

CUT GLASS
Water Set—Jug and 6 tumblers, latest floral cut. . . \$5.00
8-inch Bowl, latest floral cut. . . \$2.00
New Tulip-shape Bowl, floral cut. . . \$5.00
Floral-cut Ice Cream Tray, 14 inches. . . \$4.50
12-inch Celery Dish. . . \$1.50
WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING
Spoon Tray, Apple, Olive Dish, Sugar and Cream all the new floral cut. . . \$1.00
One-half dozen Ice Tea Tumblers. . . \$1.00

CLOCKS
One-quarter-hour Chime Clock, mahogany case, Seth Thomas. . . \$15.00
Crystal clock, gold finish. . . \$14.00
Seth Thomas hour and half-hour strike, 8-day, mahogany case. . . \$5.50

Edwards & Zanner Co.
432 SEVENTH STREET N. W.

MELLEN CORDIALLY GREETED IN COURT

Government Scores Victory. Evidence of Dealings Prior to 1912 to Be Admitted.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven road, was cordially greeted by his former associates, now defendants in the present court action, when he appeared in court today in the conspiracy trial in which twelve directors are charged with evading the anti-trust laws.

Government Attorney Hays opened his case by admitting formal evidence, exhibits of maps, books, and other documents. It appeared that Mellen might not be called to the stand until late this afternoon.

Called as the first witness, Arthur E. Clark, secretary of the New Haven, was asked to identify the tri-partite agreement of 1885. He said he recognized the signatures of the men signing the document.

Attorney Thatcher objected on the ground that the Government must base its case on evidence confined within three years prior to February 2, 1915. Evidence prior to 1915, he contended, could be introduced only to show connection between alleged acts between 1912 and 1915. Judge Hunt replied that to prove its case it was necessary for the Government to prove that a combination existed.

The Government scored its first victory when Judge Hunt overruled the objection of the defense against the presentation of this evidence. He held that the Government may follow the chronological order of proof in its attempt to show the existence of a conspiracy.

The Government plans to delve further into the New Haven manipulations than any previous court inquiry, starting the examination of Mellen with the year 1893, when it first became connected with the road. Examination of Mellen was expected to last two days.

Submarine Wrecked.
AMSTERDAM, Oct. 20.—A German submarine is reported to have been wrecked in the Danube river.

SAVE YOUR HAIR!
25 CENT BOTTLE STOPS DANDRUFF

Every bit of dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

Fry this! Your hair appears glossy, abundant, wavy and beautiful.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp, of dandruff, of scalp seborrhea. There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, eventually breeding a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Dandruff Stopper—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandruff Stopper from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Dandruff is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

Adv.



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This Handsome 3-Piece Davenport Suite, \$36.75

THE full-size Bed Davenport, large Armchair and Rocker have massive golden oak frames and are upholstered in the best quality black imitation leather. The best sanitary steel spring seat construction.

The Davenport in this suite is a handsome parlor piece by day, and at night it can be easily opened up to a full size double bed fitted with guaranteed National Springs.

Bargains IN RUGS

Old Fashion Rag Rugs Size 36 inch x 18 inch Special, 19c

High Spire Tapestry Brussels Rugs, 9x12 feet. Special for. . . \$12.75

Diamond "A" Velvet Rugs, size 9x11 feet. Special for. . . \$14.50

9x12 Axminster Rugs, rich, heavy pile; new mottled design for bedroom or dining room. Regular \$28.75 value for. . . \$18.75

Sensational Selling

Followed the Announcement Of This Extraordinary Special Full "Child Size" Character Dolls

Absolutely Unbreakable In Costume 95c

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The most wonderful Doll value ever offered. These Character Dolls are full child size—dressed. They are absolutely 14 inches tall and are completely dressed. They are absolutely unbreakable and are finished with the utmost fidelity in every detail. Among the characters are the Infant, the Clown, Yama, and Boy Scout.

This Elegant 6-Piece Colonial Mahogany Bedroom Suite, \$57.50

No other combination of furniture ever offered can compare in quality and value with this 6-piece Colonial Mahogany Bedroom Suite. It demonstrates beyond dispute our ability to undersell the better grades of furniture. The Massive Colonial Dresser, Chiffonier, Tripartite Mirror, Dressing Table and two chairs are in beautiful dull mahogany finish. They have genuine French plate mirrors. The outfit is complete with a massive 2-inch Post Guaranteed Lacquer Brass Bed.

THIS LARGE FIREPROOF STEEL Gas Toaster, 13c

This Large Gas Toaster is made of Harveyized steel and will stand extreme heat. Four full-size slices of bread can be toasted at once—and quickly. Fits any gas range or gas stove.

THIS \$4 FOLDING BABY YARD \$2.39

Hardwood Baby Yard, 42 inches square, and 22 inches high, has hinged corners and sides and heavy canvas floor. Light and strong.

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